

# Times Dispatch

RICHLAND, VA., SUNDAY, MAY 18, 1913.

PRICE FIVE CENTS.

**White Ratine Skirts, \$1.98**  
Made in the very newest styles and excellent materials.  
Other White Ratine Skirts, in best quality material, offered at \$2.98, \$3.48 and \$4.98.  
**Pique and Poplin Skirts, \$1.19**  
Others in a much finer grade of material at \$1.98.

**Sale of House Dresses**  
Pretty Percale and Gingham Dresses, trimmed with solid color cuffs and collars; sale price, \$1.00 and \$1.48.  
**Dainty Morning Dresses**  
In plain, stripe and figured voile; several very pretty styles to select from; special values offered at \$5.00, \$5.98 and \$8.48.

We Sell More Ready-to-Wear Garments for Women Than Any Other Richmond Store



**Beautiful Long Crepe Kimonos**  
Satin trimmed, in all colors and rich floral and Oriental designs; sale price, \$1.00.  
**Silk Petticoats**  
In all the new and popular colors, made with deep accordion-pleated ruffles; sale price, \$1.98.

**The World's Two Best**  
Makes of Guaranteed Hose Sold at the Thalhimer Store.  
Holeproof Hosiery for men, 6 pairs to a box, for \$1.50; warranted to wear six months or replaced with new ones.  
**Phoenix Silk Hose**  
Four pairs for \$2.00; warranted to wear three months or new ones furnished free.

## Summer Dress Fabrics

**Silk Ratine, Imported Cotton Ratine, Dotted Swiss and other dainty materials. Specially priced.**  
**Silk Ratine, 58c.**  
Silk Ratine, 36 inches wide, in shades of Copenhagen, pink, light blue, Nell rose and tan.  
**Imported Cotton Ratine, 58c.**  
Comes in shading of old blue, pink, lavender, tan, light blue and wisteria.

**40-in. Chiffon Voiles, 25c yard.**  
These are shown in a big line of new patterns, consisting of stripes, figures, bordered and Bulgarian effects.

**39c Dotted Swiss, 25c yard.**  
This is a very fine sheer cloth with embroidered dots of lavender, rose, light blue, green and black.

**17c Summer Fabrics for 12 1-2c.**  
This lot consists of printed flaxons, voiles, tissues and dimities, in a big assortment of pretty styles and colorings.

## Pack Away Your Winter Wearables

Now is the Time

**White Tar Bags**  
Suit size, 24x47 inches, 50c.  
Overcoat size, 30x50 inches, 60c.  
Extra large size, 30x60 inches, 75c.  
Auto coat size, 30x70 inches, \$1.

**Cedar Bags**  
30x50-inch size, 75c.  
30x60-inch size, \$1.00.  
Tar Paper, per roll, 45c, consisting of 12 large 40x45-inch sheets.

**Moth Balls**  
Get them now. Only 8c per lb.  
**25c Oriental Crystal Camphor**, a perfect protection against all insects; sale price, 10c.

## Summer Dresses

In the Smartest Fabrics

**Stripe Voile Dresses, in all shades, panel front, velvet girdle; special, \$5.98**  
**Excellent values in White Voile Dresses, ratine stripe border, with Cluny laces, at \$15.00**  
**Stripe Tissue Dresses, in all colors, with peplum, fastens to side at \$7.48**  
**Ratine Dresses, in all shades, peplum effects, embroidered, at \$12.50 and \$10.00 and**  
**Special Dresses of white voile, with colored ratine coats, in all shades of imported ratine, fancy vest, at \$17.50**

## Dainty New Waists

Specially Priced for Monday

**Pretty Ruffled Waist—200 of these dainty new Waists on sale to-morrow at \$1.00**  
**Four hundred Dainty Dutch Neck Lingerie Waists; over 35 pretty styles to select from, offered at greatly reduced prices.**  
**Handsome All-Over Net and Shadow Lace Waist, in this season's prettiest styles, at \$3.48, \$5.00 and**  
**Colored Voile Waist, handsome new styles, at \$2.48, \$3.48 and \$5.98**

## Offering of Infants' and Children's Wearables

at greatly reduced prices. Here are only a few of the many interesting items offered:

**Children's Hats—Several styles to select from; some ribbon trimmed ones, some plain bands; also Hats for the little man. Sold for \$1.25 and \$1.50; choice, 80c.**  
**\$2.00 and \$3.00 Hats, fancy trimmed ones, for \$1.50.**  
**The \$5.00 ones, including lingerie, for \$3.48.**  
**Children's Dresses, 6 months to 1 and 2 years, also the Long Dress for the infant; instead of 25c for 19c.**

## Monday Sale of White Goods

**27-inch Crepe Pique; looks heavy, yet is very light in weight; while being quite a novelty in Pique, it's very beautiful; this number should be seen—50c.**  
**27-inch Crepe Pique, striped; also very new and stylish, for 25c.**  
**27-inch Ratines, heavy weave, 25c**  
**40-inch Voile—Just received an extra special for the trade; regular 29c value; while they last, 19c.**  
**27-inch Pique; sale price—12 1-2c.**

## Six Great Suit Specials

For Monday's Selling

**\$15.00 Suits, in grays, tans and fancy mixtures, fancy and plain cuts, at \$10.00**  
**\$35.00 and \$37.50 Suits, including all our Novelty Suits, in fancy materials, now, at \$25.00**  
**\$25.00 Suits, in all new materials, fancy cuts, at \$17.50**  
**20.00 Suits, in navy, Copenhagen and novelty mixtures, including eponge, serges and poplins, all new cuts, now, at \$15.00**  
**\$45.00 and \$50.00 Suits, all smart styles, at \$35.00**  
**\$75.00 and \$85.00 Silk Suits, all imported materials, now, at \$58.50**

## Summer Eponge and Linen Suits

**Summer Ratine Suits, in white, leather and old buce, stylish belt effect, with batiste collars, at \$25.00**  
**Eponge Suits, with brocade coats, cutaway styles and plain skirts, at \$15.00**  
**Fancy Stripe Eponge Suits, in Copenhagen, coral and brown, at \$20.00**  
**Burlap Crash Suits, in dark blue and cream, tailored coats, with fancy buttons, at \$12.50**  
**Oyster Linen Suits, in stylish cuts, at \$8.50**

## Great Monday Sale

**Summer Rugs, Matting, Linoleum, Floor Oil Cloth, and Window Shades**

**\$10.00 Hodges' Wool and Fibre Rugs, \$6.75.**  
**Closely Woven Hodges' Celebrated Wool and Fibre Rugs, size 9x12 feet; green, tan, blue and old rose.**  
**\$15.00 Hodges' Wool and Fibre Rugs, \$12.50.**  
**Verbest Wool and Fibre Rugs, firmly woven, new patterns, in large range of colors; size 9x12 feet.**  
**\$24.00 Axminster Rugs, \$17.50.**  
**Heavy Axminster Rugs, deep silky pile, very closely woven, Oriental and conventional patterns, full size, 9x12 feet.**  
**\$30.00 Seamless Wilton Rugs, \$20.00.**  
**Fine Seamless Wilton Rugs, very closely draped with beautiful Oriental patterns, in soft pastel colorings; size 9x12 feet.**  
**Bishops C. C. Penick will occupy the pulpit at St. John's Episcopal Church on Sunday morning and evening.**  
**Houston Council, No. 22, J. O. U. A. M. attended St. John's Episcopal Church last Sunday morning in a body in connection with the 10th anniversary of the death of Rev. G. W. Ribble, preached a special sermon on "Remembered Mothers' Day."**  
**Henry Draper, of Lynchburg, was the guest of his parents at the Halifax Inn last Sunday.**  
**John D. and Joseph M. Eham, of Key- stone, W. Va., visited their parents this week.**

## May Sale of Crisp, New Muslin Underwear

**Ladies' Longcloth, French Nainsook and Lingerie Cloth Combination, neatly trimmed with lace or embroidery, several styles to select from; corset cover and drawer, open or close; worth \$1.25, \$1.50, for 98c.**

**Another lot trimmed more elaborately with laces and embroideries; also combination lace and embroidery; worth \$2.50 and \$3.00, for \$1.98.**

**37 dozen Gowns, slip-over styles; more than a dozen styles to select from; worth \$1.00 to \$1.39, choice of this lot, 89c.**

**A lot of elaborately trimmed Slip-Over Gowns, perfect beauties; worth \$3.00 to \$4.00, several styles, for \$2.48.**

**25 dozen Drawers, embroidery and lace trimmed, open or close; worth 50c; sizes 23 to 29; choice, 33c.**

**Several dozen Skirts, the narrow clinging ones; lace and embroidery trimmed, some with ribbon run beadings; worth \$1.25 and \$1.50, for 98c.**

## Men's Silk Shirts

**In the handsome new crepe stripe effect; a regular \$2.50 Shirt; sale price, \$1.50.**

**Men's \$1.25 Pajamas, in white and fancy stripe madras, made with silk frogs; to-morrow for 98c.**

**Men's 50c Finest Quality Balbriggan Underwear; to-morrow, 39c.**

**On sale to-morrow 300 pairs of Men's Best Grade Pepperell Jeans Drawers, with knitted insertion in the legs; sale price, 39c.**

### ARVONIA

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
Arvon, Va., May 17.—Prof. and Mrs. J. Walton Hall, who have been teaching in the Dillwyn High School the past winter, spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Plummer F. Jones at the Arvon Inn, leaving for their home in Gordonsville on Thursday.  
Mrs. Perkins Glover, who has been in the Memorial Hospital several weeks, returned to her home here this week very much improved in health.  
Miss Hattie Poland, of Scottsville, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Pitts this week.  
Miss Carrie Davis left this week to spend some time with her sister, Mrs. Powie Staples, in Charles City County.  
Miss Caille C. Woody, who has been teaching near Sheppard's the past winter, visited her sister, Miss May Woody, here this week, returning to her home in Meltons on Wednesday.  
A. L. Pitts, Jr., of Scottsville, spent several days at his old home here this week.  
Mrs. W. T. Evans, who has been spending some time with her mother, Mrs. D. O. Thomas, in Norfolk, returned to her home here this week.  
Miss Alexander Williams was a visitor in Richmond this week.  
Misses Lettie Morgan and Charles Pierce left this week to spend some time with Mr. James Allen Jeter, of Ballsville.  
Mrs. John R. Randolph spent several days this week with friends in Richmond.  
Robert C. Nicholas, of Charlottesville, was the guest of his sister, Mrs. P. Willie Amher, at her home, "Seven Islands," on Sunday and Monday.  
John H. Johnson, of Richmond, visited her sister, Mrs. Charles W. Anderson, here last week.  
Mrs. Hugh R. Williams left this week to spend several days with friends in Richmond.  
H. S. Tuck, president of the Richmond State Company, spent Monday and Tuesday with friends here, returning to Richmond on Wednesday.  
Mrs. Ruid, of Bon Air, with her little daughter, Pauline, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Charles Graham Thomas, here this week.  
Edwin E. Crooke, of Washington, is spending some days here in the Arvon Inn and Mineral Hotel.

### BERRYVILLE

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
Berryville, Va., May 17.—Miss Mary Mary and Dr. Griffith, of Washington, D. C., were guests of Mrs. Hammond the past week.  
Mrs. Bayard Stevens, of Hoboken, N. J., and Mrs. William Sudduth, of Warrenton, Mo., are visiting their mother, Mrs. William N. McDonald.  
Mr. and Mrs. Alden Cummins, of Pittsburgh, Pa., are guests at "Audley."  
Dr. James Parshall, of Uniontown, Pa., is visiting his sister, the Misses Parshall.  
Mrs. A. Moore has returned from a visit to friends in Baltimore.  
Mrs. W. M. S. Hammond left this week for New York.  
Miss E. P. McGuire has returned from Winchester.  
Mrs. John Hillary, of Roanoke, is visiting Mrs. H. W. Baker.  
Clyde Macomb, of Washington, was the guest of his brother, W. A. Macomb, this week.  
Mrs. Granville Shirley, of Cumberland, Md., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Thompson.  
Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Pulliam, of Page County, are guests of the Misses Pulliam.  
Mrs. C. O. Deen and Dr. Stuntz, of White Post, were in town this week.

### GORDONSVILLE

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
Gordonsville, Va., May 17.—The finals of the Gordonsville High School will begin on Sunday night at 8 o'clock with the baccalaureate sermon, which will be preached in the Methodist Church by Rev. W. R. McElroy, presbyterial evangelist for the West Hanover Presbytery. On Tuesday night at 8 o'clock the primary and grammar grades will give an entertainment. Wednesday night will be the undergraduate recital and on Thursday night the graduating exercises will be held. The exercises each night will be held in the gymnasium. The address to the graduates will be delivered by the address to the graduating class, and the presentation of diplomas will be by George W. Brown, candidate for legislative honors from Orange County. Memorial Hall has been secured, and the exercises each night will be held there, beginning at 8 o'clock. Following are the members of the graduating class: Misses Harriette Doffie, J. Carroll Estes, A. N. Martin and Charles F. Payne.  
Miss Nellie Goodwin, of Alexandria, has been spending the week with her aunt, Mrs. W. L. Richards, in the city.  
J. Holmes McMurray, of Newport News, and Miss Mattie McMurray, of Baltimore, were guests this week of their sister, Mrs. W. O. Blakey.  
Miss Katherine Scott, who has been teaching in the Richmond High School, has returned home to spend the summer.  
Canton J. Eubank, of Washington, spent several days this week with Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Eubank, near town.  
Miss Rae Block left a few days since to spend several days with relatives and friends in Baltimore.  
Mrs. J. H. Hume, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Holliday and James and Will Holliday have been spending the week with relatives in Spotsylvania County.  
John W. H. Jenkins, of Richmond, visited his mother, Mrs. McGowan, here several days this week.  
George B. Scott, of Richmond, was a guest this week of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. John W. Scott.  
Mrs. R. G. Watkins after spending a few days with relatives in Richmond, returned home on Wednesday, accompanied by her brother, C. C. McInnis.  
Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Beckham and niece, Miss Dorothy Hudson, spent Wednesday and relatives in the city en route from Richmond to their home in Greensboro, N. C.  
Mrs. James L. Fisher was an Orange visitor Wednesday.  
Mrs. H. C. Dunn, of Ashland, was the guest of Mrs. E. W. Bowen on Wednesday.  
Prof. and Mrs. Joseph W. Hall, who have been teaching in the Dillwyn High School the past session, have returned to Gordonsville for the summer.  
Mrs. W. H. Jenkins and children, of Mineral, have been spending the week with relatives in the city.  
Miss Julia Jennings, of Richmond, was the guest the first of the week of Mrs. J. H. Hume in the city.

### WINCHESTER

Winchester, Va., May 17.—Miss Genevieve Burton entertained at a progressive needle party a few evenings ago at her home in Winchester. The party was given in honor of Mrs. George P. Sheets, of St. Louis, Mo., whose marriage took place recently in that city. Mr. and Mrs. Sheets have been passing the week here as the guests of his mother, Mrs. Kate L. Sheets, at her home on South Street.  
J. W. Russell and his daughter, Mrs. J. O.

### OLD POINT

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
Old Point Comfort, Va., May 17.—The rumor circulated at Old Point this week, that the War Department will present a recommendation to the next session of Congress, asking for authority to tear down the forts and all the buildings on the peninsula, has been met with a general cry of protest, and regret from both tourist and old residents. It is said that by thus leveling the ramparts and filling in the moat, the area of available land around the city would be practically doubled, and that is almost a necessity for the future.  
As a weapon of war, army officers declare the ramparts and moat are perfectly useless, but for the tourist and army and navy men of other days, they hold a historic and sentimental association, which they are both to see effaced. In a section of the ramparts, near the main gate, is the barracks where Jefferson Davis, the President of the Confederacy, was confined during the time he was under arrest at Old Point at the close of the war.  
Secretary of the Treasury William G. McAdoo and his two daughters, Misses Nona and Sally McAdoo, paid a short and unexpected visit to the Chamberlin and Fort Saturday morning. They were met by Assistant Secretary John Shelton, of the War Department, and after breakfast left on the revenue cutter Onondago, for a trip up the historic James and York rivers to Jamestown, where Secretary McAdoo had never visited.  
Former Senator John Adams, of Colorado, and Mrs. Adams, who have been spending several weeks in Richmond and at the Chamberlin, left Monday for Washington, D. C.  
Mrs. Pierson, wife of Lieutenant Pierson, United States Army, gave a large auction bridge party Monday afternoon in the palm room of the Chamberlin. Mrs. Pierson also entertained at bridge this afternoon, her guests being Mrs. H. S. Wolcott and the Misses Wolcott, of Newburgh, N. Y.; Mrs. L. B. McKeag, of Norfolk, Va.; Mrs. McKee and Miss McKee, of New York; Mrs. Allen Kimberly, Mrs. Whitfield, of Richmond, and Mrs. D. S. Hoke, of New York.  
Mrs. Herbert Shipman, of New York, who has been in the city, has returned to her home.  
Mrs. C. Gray Dinmore, of New York, arrived Tuesday to spend several weeks here taking the cure. Mrs. Dinmore is accompanied by Mrs. H. E. Leavitt, also of New York.  
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General J. M. K. Davis, United States Army, retired, who, with Mrs. Davis, has been spending the winter here, left Sunday for Washington, D. C., en route to his summer home in New London, N. H.

### ACHILLES

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
Achilles, Va., May 17.—Miss Madge Rowe, who spent the past winter in Norfolk, returned to her home near Lady.  
William M. Bonnell, of Norfolk, has returned to his home in Norfolk.  
Mrs. Harold C. Sheets and her young son have returned from a month's visit to relatives in the city.  
Mrs. Sarah Milhon, of Kansas City, Mo., and Mrs. R. E. Fawcett, of New York, were guests of Mrs. J. H. Hume, of Gordonsville, here this week.  
Rev. Mr. Boyd Hart, of Ark. were visitors here recently.  
Mrs. Virginia Leigh is visiting friends at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Garnett Rowe, near Bona.  
James Thomas, now holding a position in Newport News, spent Sunday with his relatives at Severn.  
Mrs. Hooker Thomas, of Severn, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alton R. Brown and their children in the city.  
Mrs. Rebecca Claverton has returned to her home in Norfolk.  
Hunter Rowe, who has been spending some time at Temperanceville, the guest of Dr. Lorimer James, is on a trip to Norfolk.  
Mrs. Alice Talbot is on a visit to friends in Norfolk and vicinity.

### LAWRENCEVILLE

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
Lawrenceville, Va., May 17.—Miss Grace Stiff is visiting relatives in Blacksburg. Mrs. James A. West and son have returned to their home in Blacksburg after a visit to the revenue cutter Onondago, for a trip up the historic James and York rivers to Jamestown, where Secretary McAdoo had never visited.  
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### HOUSTON

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
Houston, Va., May 17.—Special exercises were held at Both Baptist Church last Sunday morning in commemoration of "Mothers' Day." The program consisted of songs and recitations, followed by a special sermon on "Mothers' Day" by the pastor. Those who recited were Misses Helen Barkdale, Willie Hupp, Carrie Dickens and Effie Hupp and Robert Crews. A beautiful tribute to "mother" was read by Mrs. Nathan Maynard.  
The Houston Civic League held its regular monthly meeting last Friday after-

### CULPEPER

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
Culpeper, Va., May 17.—Mrs. Clifford Miller and children, of Richmond, were in Culpeper on Monday afternoon. Mrs. Miller and her children, who are now in Culpeper, are the guests of Mrs. Miller's mother, Mrs. Pamela Brown, at "La Grange," in Upper Culpeper.  
Miss Arabella Dudley, of Richmond, arrived in Culpeper on Monday and is the guest of Mrs. Roy Hume on Jameson's Hill.  
Mr. Dudley, who has many friends here, spent last summer with Mrs. Hume at the Hotel Culpeper.  
Mrs. Elizabeth Fitzhugh returned to Charlottesville Thursday after a week's visit to Mr. and Mrs. Jackson Pray, on East Street. Mrs. Fitzhugh's aunt, Mrs. Anne Wingfield, who spent the winter with her in Charlottesville, returned to Culpeper several days ago, and will be here during the summer months.  
Misses Agnes and Mary Grigg, the former recovering from a recent severe illness, are spending some time with their brother, Mr. Grigg, in the city.  
Mrs. Charles I. Mitchell has gone to Richmond. Mrs. Nat Newsome, of Warfield, spent the week-end at the home of Mrs. James H. Branch, on High Street.  
Mrs. Warringer, of Richmond, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. R. R. Clarke.  
Mrs. Laura Turnbull, of Baltimore, is visiting her parents, Judge and Mrs. D. S. Hoke.  
The Charles J. Chase City spent a few days here this week with J. R. Simmons.  
W. A. Trotter, S. H. Short and Rev. F. W. Walker, of the Petersburg Conference of the Methodist Church, that were held in Emporia this week.

### FARMVILLE

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
Farmville, Va., May 17.—Messrs. Hirstow, England and Louis Hubbard attended the session of the Odd-Fellows in Roanoke. Miss Lottie Gulliam, of Petersburg, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Robert C. Braxton.  
The Misses Dorin, of Lynchburg, have returned after a pleasant visit to Mrs. H. E. Walker.  
The Coleman family is in Baltimore, as a delegate to the Convention of Railroad Order. Mrs. Frank Smith and Rev. Thomas Homer were much enjoyed.  
Mrs. Walker, of Richmond, was a week-end guest of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Nelson, on Main Street, and also visited her summer home, "Mulberry Green," for a short time, returning to Richmond Tuesday.  
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### BRISTOL

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
Bristol, Va., May 17.—Robert and Fred Hammer entertained at a party of friends from Virginia Intermont College at "Top Knob" on Monday afternoon. Miss Leno Knott, on Monday afternoon, the refreshments consisted of strawberries and cream. The knob strawberries from Oliver Taylor's past-card were given out as souvenirs.  
Stoddard, chapter, of Selma, Misses Emma Powell, Johnnie Allen, Archie Catching, Mamie Jeffers, Edna Conley, Hazel Sand, Mrs. Ray Wiggins, Leno Largent, Henri Livingston and Oliver Taylor and Robert and Fred Hammer.  
Mrs. John P. Smith and Miss Annie Wilson, of Johnson City, came to Bristol Monday to attend the funeral of John C. Anderson.  
Mrs. J. L. King, who spent the winter with her son, Roy King, in Los Angeles, has returned to her home, and is now with her daughter, Mrs. Ellis Robinson, in Roanoke. Her daughter, Miss Sadie King, is visiting Mrs. C. D. Caldwell, in Cincinnati.  
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Van Doren, of Puckett, are here on a visit to relatives.  
Horace Spencer, in the guest of Mrs. Thomas F. Staley has had as her guests, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Reynolds and Mrs. C. R. She entertained them with a dinner at Hotel Bristol.  
Mrs. R. V. Kelly, of Santa Anna, Tex., is a guest of Mrs. C. R. Kerfoot.  
Jack Wren and Miss Nellie Hart, a popular young couple from Elizabeth, were here during the week. The nuptials were solemnized at the home of the officiating minister, the Rev. J. A. Baylor, of State Street Methodist Church.  
Miss Lottie Hobson will return from Statesboro, Ga., this week where she taught school.  
Mrs. Ernest Cash and son, Harry, of Bristol, Va., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Cash.

### CHATHAM

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
Chatham, Va., May 17.—Mother's Day was observed with exercises on Sunday afternoon last. The address was given by the Rev. J. B. Geyer, of the Presbyterian Church, who was assisted and enjoyed in every number. Professor J. G. Williams of the Chatham Training School, conducted the exercises. The exercises were very appropriate. J. W. Marks in a short talk told of the indignities of his every mother should be held. Several vocal selections added much to the pleasure of the occasion.  
Dr. and Mrs. W. T. Canada were the week-end guests of friends in Danville.  
Mrs. M. H. Thompson and D. P. Thompson left Wednesday morning for Charlottesville to attend the funeral of Mrs. J. B. Geyer, who is visiting relatives in Indianapolis. He will return to Chatham Sunday accompanied by his wife and daughter, who have been spending some time with relatives in the Middle West.  
W. A. Gray, of South Boston, was in Chatham on Tuesday.  
Elvin Smith is home from a business college, owing to the indisposition of his father, H. A. W. Smith.  
L. A. Motley and family are visiting relatives in Lynchburg.